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In re Application of :
Christopher W. Smith, et al. :
Serial No.: 10/621,230 :
Filed: July 15, 2003 :
For: LOW PERMEATION NYLON TUBE WITH :
ALUMINUM BARRIER LAYER :

RESPONSE

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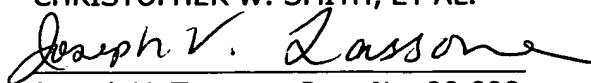
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REMARKS:

In view of the above, it is believed that Applicants have complied with all requirements set forth in the Notice to File Missing Parts whereby it is respectfully requested that Applicants now be given an action on the merits of this application.

Respectfully submitted,

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